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## THIEVES ABROAD IN MAYSVILLE THIS MORNING

Two Residences Entered by Thieves  
At Early Hour This Morning and  
Attempt Made to Enter Third  
—No Valuables Found  
Missing.

Three attempts at robbery were made during the early hours of the morning according to reports reaching police headquarters.

The first call came from the residence of Attorney James M. Collins in East Fourth street. Mr. Collins was awakened shortly after 2 o'clock by his wife who said that she heard something in their bed room. When Mr. Collins was aroused the noise seemed to leave the room and enter the hall and then go down the steps. As the stranger started down the steps the sudden flash of a flash light was seen and he was heard to step on the floor in the dining room on the first floor. Mr. Collins ran down stairs but no one was seen, however the front door, which he had closed and bolted when he came in the night before, was found standing wide open and the back door was also open. Officer Bloomfield soon answered a telephone call but the thief had made his escape.

A search of the house was made and nothing was found missing.

Further investigation disclosed that the back door of Mr. Thomas Malone's residence was also found opened and the police suppose the thief tried to enter his home but the family does not think any one gained an entrance as nothing was heard and nothing is missing.

Mr. A. G. Stewart, former member of the local police force, now employed at the L. & N. depot, also reported to the police this morning that between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning thieves entered his home on Forest avenue through an open window but they were frightened off before any valuables were stolen. A coat belonging to Mr. Stewart, however, is missing.

The police this morning threw out a net and will arrest any strangers of a suspicious appearance and make a very thorough investigation into all of the reported cases.

## NEWLY ELECTED TEACHER CALLED TO SERVE NATION

Prof. R. F. Clark Recently Elected to  
Teach Science in the Maysville  
High School Must Fight For  
His Country.

Superintendent W. J. Caplinger, of the city schools, has just received word from Prof. R. F. Clark, of Bowling Green, Ky., that he will be unable to teach science and direct the athletics in the Maysville High School during the coming year because he has been reclassified by his local exemption board.

Prof. Clark had been placed in Class Five by his local board when he accepted the chair of science in the Maysville High School but under the new combining process of the Exemption Boards he has been removed from that class and put in Class Two, which in his country means that he will soon be called into service.

This leaves a vacancy in a very important department of the local High School and the faculty will be required to get together at a very early date and select some one to succeed him so that the entire faculty will be ready at the opening of school in September.

It is expected that the Board of Education will have no little trouble in finding a man to fill this vacancy at this time as most of the schools have already selected their faculty and the most of the available instructors have been employed.

### FINAL CALL THIS AFTER- NOON

The funeral of Miss Estelle R. Paddock, who died at her home on Fourth street Tuesday night, will be held from the Church of the Nativity this afternoon at 2 o'clock with services by Rev. William R. Dorn. Burial will be made in the family lot at the Maysville cemetery.

Call and see Pink and Blue High-  
land Linen writing paper at special  
prices. 24 sheets for 25¢. Envelopes  
to match to each.

17-30 J. T. KACKLEY & CO.

Mr. J. J. Veatch, of Paris, Discreet  
Manager of the Central Home Telegraph  
and Telegraph Company, spent last night here with local manager B. V. Chambers.

## NOTICE

Parties who purchased First Liberty 4% (converted) and Second Liberty 4% Bonds from us and wishing to convert into 4½% Bonds will please deposit same with us.

## The State National Bank.

## FISHERS!

Don't Forget That We Have a  
Full Line of Fishing  
Tackle

POLES,  
LINES,  
REELS,  
FLIES

And all kinds of Fishing 'What-Nots.'  
Come in and look them over.  
These are good days  
to fish.

**Mike Brown**  
The Square Deal Man  
of Square Deal Spares

## AMERICANS ARE NOWHERE FORCED TO WITHDRAW

Enemy Gains Are Small on Isolated  
Seas; Americans Hold Back  
Hunks and Improve Positions  
—Hitherto Slow Action.

With the American Army on the Marne, July 17—At the hour of issuing this despatch there have been no changes on the sectors of the battle front held by the American troops or those where they are fighting with their Allies.

The fighting continues sporadically throughout the Marne region and the artillery activity is rather heavy all along the line.

With the American Army in France, July 17—The American troops cooperating with the French at a point where counter attacks were carried out yesterday, were attacked again this morning by the enemy, who by reason of the nature of the ground was able to make slight gains in some places, while at others the Americans again pushed their way back. The lines here have been wavering back and forth for the past twenty four hours and the result of the entire operation is indefinite.

In the region of Vaux, west of Chateau Thierry, conditions today were normal. The Germans were lying low after the two minor, but nevertheless important, defeats they had suffered there in two consecutive days.

A downpour of rain over the battle zone between Chateau Thierry and Bapaume, on the Marne front, has served to slow up the operations since early this morning.

In the neighborhood of Fossey, in the bend district, the Americans further improved their positions today.

Fighting continued throughout the day in the region of the counter attack begun by the American forces yesterday.

Many Germans between the railroad and the south bank of the river appear to have made good their escape to the north bank at several points during the night.

French observers reported today that thirteen enemy airplanes fell in the region over which an American pursuit squadron was patrolling and fighting Tuesday.

Within the American lines it had been considered sure that the Americans had downed eight, and possibly nine enemy planes.

Washington, July 17—The initial failure of the new German offensive, so carefully and formidably prepared, is characteristic of the new phase of the war said M. Edouard De Billy, French High Commissioner to the United States, in discussing today the results of the first two days of fighting east and west of Rheims.

The success of the Franco-American cooperation, Mr. De Billy said, already has been demonstrated and he added that the Allies can wait for the future with the same confidence shown by the population of Paris under the long range bombardment.

"The result of the first two days' fighting is, on half of the front, decidedly in our favor," said Mr. De Billy. "Over the rest of the front the enemy succeeds in gaining almost four miles at the price of heavy losses."

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"Drafting of part of the classes of 1920."

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## SMITH STRONGLY DENIES MURDER OF DETECTIVE

Police Authorities of Ashland Believe  
Former Convict Is Responsible  
For Officer's Death.

C. H. Smith, the young white man who according to Thomas Masterson, who was with him Monday night when C. & O. Special Officer R. L. Kinneman was shot and killed and Special Officer L. V. Johnson injured, confessed to him that he had fired the shots, was questioned yesterday by Chief of Police Payne and C. & O. agents at Ashland and denied positively that he had fired the shots or had told Masterson that he did. He admitted however, the police authorities say, that he was in the vicinity of the tragedy and claimed that a tall negro whom he did not know fired the shots. Smith and Masterson are both being held pending further investigation.

Developments are expected to prove beyond a doubt that Smith is the guilty party.

The confession of Masterson was made Tuesday evening and came as a surprise as it was thought that the shots were fired by one of the negroes who Mr. Johnson saw running from the scene just before he heard the shots and was struck by a bullet.

Masterson who is a small man, apparently about thirty years of age, has been living at St. Albans, W. Va., and that he has a brother living in Anderson, Ind. He stated that the trip he made to Ashland Monday for whiskey was his second, "bootlegging" trip to Ashland.

Smith is twenty-three years of age, lives on Cabin Creek, W. Va. He weighs about 150 pounds, and is about 5 feet 6 inches in height. He has the appearance of a criminal. He is said by the police authorities to have served a term in the Monongahela, W. Va., penitentiary for murder and to have only been recently released. He is known to his acquaintances as "Cotton" Smith.

It is presumed that the cause of the shooting of Mr. Kinneman and Mr. Johnson was due to fear of arrest on a charge of bootlegging.

### YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League  
Brooklyn, 4; Pittsburgh, 5. 111 Innings.

Boston, 3; St. Louis, 4.  
New York 1-1; Cincinnati, 2-1.  
Philadelphia, 1; Chicago, 2. (12 inn-

American League  
Detroit, New York; postponed.  
Cleveland, 4; Washington, 5.  
St. Louis, 6-0; Boston, 7-4.  
Philadelphia-Chicago; postponed.

### DOVER MAKES RECORD IN CAN- NING FRUIT

Mr. William M. McNutt, Dover merchant, was in the city yesterday on business and delivered his certificates for sugar used in preserving to the County Food Administrator's office. The little town of Dover must be preparing for this winter in first-class style for there were more canning certificates filed at the Food Administrator's office from the town of Dover than there have been filed from the entire city of Maysville up to date.

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## TRAIN RIDERS DISMISSED BUT MILLS IS HELD

Two Boys Who Were Returning Home  
From Moundsburg Factory Are Re-  
laxed by Police But Alleged  
Slacker Will Be Im-  
plicated.

In Police Court yesterday afternoon Frank Michalik, Frank Smogur and William Mills faced charges of disorderly conduct. All of the men, who appeared to be very young, mere boys, were taken from the blind baggage of passing C. & O. passenger trains.

Michalik and Smogur said their homes were in Chicago and that they had been in Nitro, W. Va., for the past several weeks working in the government ammunition plant there but that the work was not agreeable to them and that the cost of living was too high for them. They said that they were unable to save any money and became disgusted with the job started for them in Chicago.

After examining papers they carried Judge Whittaker found that they were telling the truth and allowed them to go on their way toward home.

Mills, who when first arrested said that he was 22 years of age and when asked to show his registration card said he was but 13, was ordered back to jail and held on suspicion until his exact age could be learned by the officials.

All attempts to learn his age from his parents thus far has been unsuccessful. Although he claims to be under the draft age, Mills looks much older and the officers believe him to be a slacker.

### WORK STARTED ON NEW GARAGE

Contractor J. D. Easton and his force of men have begun work at the erection of a new garage in the rear of Mrs. Kate Wallingford's property. The garage will be first class and fire proof in every respect and will face on 18th street.

### DANCE IN HONOR OF SOLDIERS

A number of the local young women entertained with a dance at Neptune hall last night in honor of the fifty-seven young drafted men who leave this afternoon for Fort Thomas. A most enjoyable evening was spent.

Sergeant Porter Ray of Camp Taylor, formerly connected with McMillan, Knox & Dene, is spending a week's furlough with his parents at Sardinia.

Hear the New Velvet-Surface Record "Farewell To Thee" sung by Freda Hempel on the New Edison.

17-21 J. T. KACKLEY & CO.

## Truss Wearers

Why go to the city to be fitted with a TRUSS and pay Five to  
Ten Dollars. We will fit you and save you money besides your rail-  
road fare.

## M. F. Williams Drug Company

THIRD STREET DRUG STORE

### NOTICE

Sealed bids for the construction of the Morristown Consolidated School building will be received at my office until 1 p. m. Saturday, August 17th. Plans and specifications are now on file at my office and may be seen by any prospective bidder. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

GEORGE H. TURNIPSEED.

County Superintendent of Schools.

18-31 OGABA-FLORENCE

Eugene Florence, aged 28, and Mary Florence, aged 18, both of Flemingsburg, were married in the County Clerk's office here yesterday afternoon by County Judge H. P. Purnell.

SPECIAL REGISTRATION  
A special registration for all voters  
who were ill or out of the city at the  
last regular registration or who have  
become of age since that time will be  
held at the County Clerk's office on  
Saturday, July 20. All those residents  
of the city desiring to vote in the Aug-  
ust primary must secure registration  
certificates.

J. J. OWENS, County Clerk.

### BEAUTIFUL INTERIOR DECORA- TIONS

Messrs. Shaffer & Watkins, local  
painters and decorators, have added  
much to the beauty of the interior  
of the First-Standard Bank and Trust  
Company. The work has been in  
progress for some time but it has  
been done slowly and carefully.

## Economize!

On everything and save every cent  
you can. This is no time for waste  
or extravagance. The Government  
will continue to need your financial  
assistance. Be prepared to do your  
full part as long as the war lasts.  
Don't waste anything and you won't  
have to be a "slacker" when the calls  
come.

If you need our assistance, come in and get it.  
We are anxious to serve everybody  
that is helping the Government.

## FIRST-STANDARD BANK & TRUST CO.

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## DON'T DREAM—LIVE!

If you don't drop your dreams—which too often turn to doubt or despair—and live your stirring part in the portentous world-dreams of tragic events, why, some fine morning you'll meet Death up the road, waiting for you.

Not with a garland of flowers and a song-book, either. Death will be advancing to meet you with a gas-hound in one hand, a fire-edged sword in the other.

Stop dreaming—and act!

Act here—act now—act efficiently!

Not once or twice, by spasms.

No war ever was won that way.

And this one is all the wars of the world brought hellishly up to date and driving straight at you.

You can't even sit drowsily on the track of destiny and let the war train of Prussian destruction run over you.

Not if you want to.

Human responsibility has given you a number.

Human necessity has called you to the colors.

Humanity, itself, has armed you with brave purpose and tender understanding.

That makes it your fight—because, after the war, you can't live along with the rest of the world wearing a shaker's badge of shame. The badge "Made in Germany."

Stop dreaming—and dig or drill.

Dreams only are of value as we translate them into truth.

Your fame may be embroidering a captain's epaulets, upon your well-formed, uncampaigned shoulders, but as for me, I camouflage no hero ships of proud adventure, sighting the battlefields of brave mirage.

Paint your shovel-handle, if you will.

Put perfume in your ink.

The ribbons on your saw and hammer, if the whimsy helps, but grip the fact in your hand—make it produce and perform.

Keep a-working and awake.

Dreams are for drones.

Industry is the other name of victory.

Trade your small alarm clock for a big, big one and set its hands and face toward the first pink dawn of determination.

Fold up your dreams and file them away.

If ever you "go over the top" you'll find enough experience to weave into a million dreams.

Wake up! Wake up! And live!

For the other choice is on the way!

## CHILDREN AND LANDLORDS

The problem of finding suitable housing facilities for families with children becomes increasingly complicated. From every community of any size comes the cry, "The landlords won't rent to us. What can we do?"

The landlord is often to blame. And it is safe to say that there has been a great deal of profiteering in rents during the past year. But the landlord has a side.

This is the statement, not of a landlord, but of a neighbor tenant telling an amusing story: "Yes, they are supposed to come from a nice family. But Chester, 4 years old, when he has eaten all the oatmeal he wants, turns the bowl upside down on his head, letting the stuff run down over him. The he throws the bowl at the wall."

Do you really blame Chester's landlord for wanting to evict Chester's mother?

Children are allowed to run about apartment halls on roller skates with steel rollers. They are allowed to break windows and write on the wall paper and kick the woodwork. Can any landlord really be blamed for objecting to this kind of thing?

Some one suggests that a contract could be drawn up protecting the landlord against damage and the tenant against eviction. It seems as if some sort of insurance could easily be devised which would fall heavily upon the parents who are too selfish or too stupid to train their children properly. This, if properly designed, would serve three ends: It would provide housing for families with children; it would protect landlords, and it would make some sort of discipline necessary for the younger generation.

And it probably wouldn't hurt the temper of the neighbors either.

"Closed on account of sickness" is a sign observed on a Chicago drug store. We had always supposed that sickness was the very thing which kept the drug store open.

## CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BEDSIDE

Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardul For Her Recovery.

Royse City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kilman, of this place, says: "After the birth of my little girl... my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me... but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable... was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot... the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and am a well, strong woman, and I owe my life to Cardul. I had only taken half the bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side got less... I continued right on taking the Cardul until I had taken three bottles and I did not need any more for I was well and never felt better in my life... I have never had any trouble from that day to this."

Do you suffer from headache, backache, pains in sides, or other discomforts, each month? Or do you feel weak, nervous and fagged-out? If so, give Cardul, the woman's tonic, a trial.

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WEED MARKETS  
SHOW ACTIVITY  
IN KENTUCKY

Burley Tobacco Grows to Highest Price Level During Month—Quotations Trend Upward.

Notwithstanding the rapid absorption of the 1917 crop of tobacco during the most active part of the winter and spring sales season, tobacco markets of Kentucky show a rather extensive business for the month of June, 1918, the official report of Commissioner of Agriculture Mat. S. Cohen indicating a total of 5,485,056 pounds, representing a valuation of \$1,065,607.72, an average \$19.94 per 100 pounds.

It is interesting to note that while the total quantity of tobacco sold in June was 60 per cent, less than that disposed of during the preceding month of May, the actual value fell only 54 per cent, indicating a general strengthening of prices in all markets of the state.

Burley tobacco reached its highest level during June, a total of 1,476,761 pounds bringing an average of \$32.24 per 100 pounds, which was an increase over the May average of \$2.71 per 100 pounds.

Other averages in June compared as follows with May averages: One-Snaker increased \$2.58 per 100 pounds; Fired dark increased 5¢ per 100 pounds; Fired dark increased 25¢ per 100 pounds; Green River decreased \$1.30 per 100 pounds. The grand total average increased \$2.62 per 100 pounds.

High prices for leaf tobacco seem assured for a long time to come, say experienced tobacco men. The 1918 planting in Kentucky, the world's largest tobacco-producing section, is believed to be somewhat under that of last year, but even with the crop this year slightly larger than last quotations will trend steadily upward.

It is said, because of the increasing demand at home and abroad for tobacco products of every description.

## AWAKE AMERICA

EDITOR'S NOTE.—The following poem was written by Bertha Morton, a Maysville colored girl.

Awake America, awake, awake To the peril that's in your way Arrouse your boys and let them shoulder arms, So Sammy will win the day So Sammy will win the day, When he marches far away!

## CHORUS

You know you love America Her boys are going to be; The challengers who brave the foe, The demons of the sea.

Awake America, awake, awake Just you listen to that sound The roaring of old Sammy's cannon; 'Tis the best cannon ever found, America we love you And your sailor boys in blue.

## THE NECESSITY OF SAVING

America, generally speaking, is experiencing the first real schoolroom in saving that she has ever had. Thrift has never been a predominant American quality. We have always stood close to the foot of the class of nations in the per capita showing of our people in the matter of savings accounts. Americans have been peculiarly prodigal. With us it has been "come easy, go easy."

But the world war is changing all this.

Never before has saving been so necessary. Never have the demands upon us individually, whether for our homes, our city charitable activities, or our national needs, been so great, so persistent. Nor has the impulse to respond to our country's demands ever been so keen with most of us.

For we are beginning finally to appreciate that to win this war our soldiers and sailors must have our whole hearted, sympathetic and free handed backing. With this they will become an irresistible force for democracy and world peace. Without it they cannot but doubt that the country is really back of them. Without it there can be no staunch, steadfast, do or die national morale.

And that we must have.

Saving requires no special training, no technical knowledge, no exceptional talents. Anyone can do it. The basis of it all is self denial, the backbone of it all is the will to save. Thrift becomes as much a habit in time as extravagance.

But there's a vast difference in the success of the individual as it is right now to the welfare and future of the nation.

Get into training. There's another bond issue coming.

## PLANNING FOR PICNIC

The Sunday School of the First Baptist Church is planning for their annual picnic which will be held within the next few weeks. The committee in charge of the arrangements have not as yet been able to make a report but it is expected that the picnic will be held in a nearby woods.

OF INTEREST  
IN THIS STATE

## STALLIONS SHIPPED

Lexington, Ky.—Dr. R. G. Lawton, local representative of the War Department's Breeding Bureau, has shipped to the Government station at Front Royal, Va., the thoroughbred stallions Cock of the Walk, which was presented by Frederick Johnson, and Textile, presented by Thomas Monahan, for the production of better army horses. The stallions were shipped in charge of Thomas S. Rafferty.

## TWO CHILDREN SHOT

Ashland, Ky.—Henry and Bertha Horn, 12 and 14 years old, children of Ellis Horn, were shot, and it is feared fatally injured, Monday while picking blackberries. Warrants have been issued for Fred and Oscar Cooksey, sons of the owner of the land on which the children were picking the berries.

## COVINGTONIAN IN CHARGE

Frankfort, Ky.—Dr. L. H. Cristler, of Covington, will meet with the State Board of Veterinary Examiners, which convenes here July 13, to prepare for applicants who desire to practice veterinary in this state and who have not previously procured licensure. The annual meeting will begin on the last Monday in August, as prescribed by law.

## KENTUCKY ATTORNEY SUES JUDGE

Winchester, Ky.—Suit was filed here Monday by A. Floyd Bird asking damages to the amount of \$50,000 against Circuit Judge James P. Adams of Bentleville. The petition says that the defendant has, in his official capacity, refused to allow the plaintiff's name to be mentioned in Court, and otherwise discriminated and prejudiced clients against him as an attorney.

Bird is one of the best-known lawyers of Eastern Kentucky, having come into prominence several years ago by his determined stand against the Harlan-Culberson faction, which he vigorously prosecuted.

Judge Adam's district is composed of Lee, Breathitt and Estill counties.

## SHERIFF CAN'T SELL WINE

Frankfort, Ky.—A Sheriff cannot sell wine in local option territory even when levied on for debt and ordered sold by the Court. R. H. Sowards, of Pike county, was in a quandary concerning 60 gallons of wine which he had levied on in Pike county under an execution of the Court. He asked Attorney-General Morris what to do. Assistant Attorney-General Myatt, after a search of the authorities, advised him not to sell it.

In his opinion to Sowards, Assistant Attorney-General Myatt said that the prohibition law not only prohibits the sale of intoxicating liquors in dry territory, but forbids persons having same in their possession for sale.

The acts of the 1918 session of the Legislature he said corrected the old law by prohibition advertising for sale of intoxicating liquors in dry territory.

## SECRETARY IS RE-ELECTED

Frankfort, Ky.—At the conclusion of an all-day session of the State Library Commission held here Tuesday, Miss Fannie Rawson, of Louisville, was re-elected Secretary of the commission, defeating Mrs. William Cromwell, of Frankfort, by one vote. A resolution of appreciation for the services of the late General John B. Castleman as a member of the commission was adopted. Miss Harriet Boserup, of Paducah, was elected Assistant Secretary.

## FORMER SOLDIER DIES

Lexington, Ky.—William L. Hughes, 71 years old, prominent local business man and member of the Kentucky Legislature in 1904, died at his home Tuesday after a long illness.

## THEATRE MANAGER PLUED

Lexington, Ky.—Upon preeminent instructions of Magistrate Orville Boone, a jury which heard the case of Alfred Combs and other members of the Churchmen's Committee against the management of the Ben All Theater, charged with having violated the Sunday closing law, otherwise known as the "blue law," by projecting motion pictures on the Sabbath day, returned a verdict Tuesday of guilty and fixed the punishment at \$2, the lowest fine under the law.

The Magistrate's instructions gave the jury no opportunity to discuss the question as to whether or not the public requires motion pictures as necessary. Captain Austin W. Hardling, commanding Camp Duell, in his testimony told the jury that he regards motion pictures on Sunday as "very essential" for the recreation of men who are taking technical training here for the war.

Members of the jury after the trial told Mullinger Charles H. Berryman they are not in favor of suppressing Sunday pictures, but, under the instructions, they had no alternative than to assess a fine. The case of the Strand and Odeon Theatres will be heard Thursday.

Get into training. There's another bond issue coming.

## PREVENTION MEASURES AGAINST HOPE IN BREAD

The Baker's Weekly makes the following suggestions to avoid "rope" in bread:

First. Make your doughs slightly acid. This can be done by using a commercial acid, several varieties of which are on the market today, or by the use of a small quantity of vinegar in the doughs—about 1 pint for every 100 pounds of flour and substitutes used. Buttermilk in either fresh, condensed, or powdered form is recommended on account of its acid content and its healthfulness—containing much additional nourishment. Fresh buttermilk should be used, 2 quarts to each pail of 12 quarts; condensed buttermilk, 3 ounces to each quart of water; powdered buttermilk, 1 ounce to each quart of water.

Second. Use a short-sponge method wherever possible, putting no cereal substitutes into the sponge; but reserving them to be placed in the dough; and the dough, after the sponge is ready, should be worked up as quickly as possible and gotten out of the way, so that the substitute cereals will not remain in the dough any longer.

Third. More yeast is necessary to handle doughs in a shorter time; and as the mixture of flour and substitutes contains 25 per cent less gluten than formerly, 25 per cent more yeast should be used, because the longer these substitutes lie in the dough the more chance there is for developing rope. More yeast and a cool dough, by all means, are advisable.

Fourth. Wash your benches, troughs, and boxes with a strong vinegar once a week; keep your shop well aired, and leave soap, linewater, in open vessels in your flour room or near your flour and cereal supply.

Fifth. Should an case of rope occur, or any trouble which you have never seen before, get in touch immediately with the Food Administration or with the National Service Committee, so that you will get immediate assistance and advice.

## MABEL NORMAND Delves into HISTORY OF JOAN

Mabel Normand appears in "Joan of Plattsburg" at the Washington Theater today. As its name indicates the play is a modern production, sponsored by Goldwyn and written by Porter Emerson Browne. Yet in spite of the presence of the officers' training camp at Plattsburg, there is as strong note of historic appeal as well. For Mabel Normand as Joan, the charter orphan, the drudge of a drear institution, sees herself the reincarnation of the immortal Maid of Orleans, queen of the village of Arc. In this way the past and present are made to meet, and while there are no scenes held in the present, the orphan imagines herself clad in mail at the head of a besieging army. Her imagination, of course, takes definite form on the screen and the child is actually seen by the audience in the armor of Joan of Arc.

Mabel Normand, tormented by spirit voices; Mabel Normand, spurred on by magnificent resolve, and Mabel Normand leading a victorious host—these are new phases of her manifold gifts, disclosed for the first time under the sympathetic presentation of Goldwyn.

Good imitations are sometimes superior to poor originals.

## VALUABLE ADVICE

Maysville Citizens Should Profit by Following Statement.

Doan's Kidney Pills were used by this Maysville resident. Their merit was shown—the story told.

Now comes further evidence. The testimony is confirmed.

The remedy was tested—the results lasted.

Could Maysville residents demand stronger proof?

It's Maysville testimony. It can be investigated.

A Sorries, lock and gunsmith, W. Second and Wall Sts., gave the following statement in January, 1912: "The action of my kidneys was terrible and the kidney secretions contained sediment; when I stooped over, I had trouble in straightening up. Colds settled in my back and kidneys, too. Doan's Kidney Pills stopped the trouble and my back and kidneys became as strong and well as ever."

## A LASTING EFFECT

On November 14, 1916, Mr. Sorries said: "I am the same strong believer in Doan's Kidney Pills today, as when I gave my former endorsement. I haven't had any trouble with my kidneys since that time and I believe the cure they gave me will be permanent

# THURSDAY JULY 18th, MARY PICKFORD in M'LISS

The Ideal of the Screen, at Both Opera House and the Gem.

DO YOU KNOW WHY --- It's Merely a Case of too Many Doctors in a Great Many Instances?



Drawn for this paper By Frank Leet

## FRUIT SYRUPS

### NEED NO SUGAR

Use the concentrated sweetness of the prunes in place of sugar in cooking.

Washington—Sweet fruit syrups require no sugar in the making and may be used in place of sugar in several ways in general cooking, according to specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. Apple syrup is especially good for cakes, biscuits, candies and seasoning.

To make it add 5 ounces of powdered calcium carbonate to 7 gallons of apple cider. Powdered calcium carbonate (earthenware of lime) or, to give it its common name, precipitated chalk, is low-priced and harmless. Boil the mixture in a kettle or vat vigorously for five minutes. Pour the liquid into vessels, preferable glass jars or pitchers; allow to stand six or eight hours, or until perfectly clear. Pour the clear liquid into a preserving kettle. Do not allow sediment at bottom to enter. Add to the clear liquid one level teaspoonful of lime carbonate and stir thoroughly. The process is completed by boiling down rapidly to a clear liquid. Use density gauge or candy thermometer and bring the temperature up to 220 degrees F. If a thermometer is not available, boil until bulk is reduced to one-seventh of the original volume. To determine whether the syrup is cooked enough test as for candy by pouring a little into cold water. If boiled enough it should have the consistency of maple syrup. It should not be cooked long enough to harden like candy when cooled.

When the test shows that the syrup has been cooked enough, pour it into fruit jars, pitchers, etc., and allow it to cool slowly. Slow cooling is important, as otherwise the suspended matter will not settle properly and the syrup will be cloudy.

A good way to insure slow cooling is to stand the vessels, full of syrup, in a bucket or a wash boiler of hot water or to place them in a fireless cooker. The white sediment which settles out during cooking is called "milk of lime" and is a harmless compound of lime with the natural acid of the apple. When the syrup is cool, it should be stored in fruit jars, bottles, or jugs and crocks. Place the rubber and cap or cotton stopper or cork in position and tighten. Place the container in boiling hot water and sterilize for the length of time given below for the particular type of outlet used:

Water bath, homemade or commercial ..... 15

Water seal, 214 degrees ..... 14

5 pounds steam pressure ..... 8

10 pounds steam pressure ..... 5

Remove jars and tighten covers. Invert to cool, and test the jars. Store for future use. This recipe is for making syrup primarily for home consumption. If the product is to be sold, legal requirements as to labeling should be ascertained and complied with.

Don't forget that the brown stone front usually depends on a honest brick rear for support.

## BETTER ROAD ENGINEERS IMPERATIVELY NEEDED

### PUBLIC URGED TO SEE PERSHING PICTURE

Federal Committee on Information Urges That All See Pershing's Crusaders.

The state managers of the feature picture "Pershing's Crusaders" have received the following telegram from the Committee on Public Information:

New York, N. Y., June 21, 1918  
Bir Feature Rights Corporation,  
Bir Theatre Bldg., Louisville, Ky.

You are hereby authorized to call upon every exhibitor in your territory and tell them that the Government would like them to exhibit "Pershing's Crusaders." In order to assist the Government is showing every American citizen what our army is doing both over here and over there we want you to impress upon every exhibitor the benefit of this. Please furnish us daily comprehensive report on every house that you call on, we would like every house in your territory play this picture sooner or later. COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC INFORMATION.

This picture will be shown at the Washington and Gem on next Saturday.

## FOAL RATIONING PROBABLE

The U. S. Fuel Administration has devised a system of coal rationing for the coming winter which will secure effective conservation. The system may be adopted at the discretion of local Fuel Administrators. It would limit domestic fuel supplies to an amount sufficient to keep the temperature of rooms and buildings at 68 degrees temperature. The allowance for each consumer will be sufficient for comfort but the thoughtless and wasteful consumer who finds his allowance gone before the end of the winter, will have only himself to blame if he has no fuel with which to heat his house. Under the system in contemplation every one will get his fair proportion of coal, but the hoarder will be eliminated. This system from the hundreds of witnesses on the ground.

First, a censorship of every order for coal received by any dealer, each order being compared with a figure obtained by very simple yet effective formulas showing the rating of the house where the coal is to be used;

Second, actual inspection of all doubtful cases and a checking up through inspectors of statements made by householders as to the coal on hand, the space to be heated, and the heating system employed;

Third, an effective refusal to furnish any household more coal than a scientific analysis shows is necessary if the requisite care is taken in the heating of the house. Under this system surplus coal will be refused.

All consumers who have obtained a quantity of coal in excess of their allotments, or who by deceit or misrepresentation have violated any rules and regulations of the Fuel Administration, will be prosecuted.

## SOLDIERS AND FAMILIES WILL GET FREE LEGAL AID

Washington—Free legal and business advice for all men in the military service and their families at home soon will be available. The war department announced tonight that a complete system for the purpose now is being worked out by the Judge Advocate general of the army, the American Red Cross, the Council of National Defense, and the American Bar Association.

The woman who paints her pale cheeks pink may look with scorn and contempt upon the woman who has occasion to dye her hair red.

Many a man is forced to play the game of life who doesn't hold a single trump.

## SUGARLESS PIE-FILLING

Can the Whidbey Apples for Winter Pies—Sugar May Be Added When Baking the Pie.

Washington—Plenty of apple pies are guaranteed for Americans next winter in spite of the sugar shortage. Housewives are going to save the vitamins in pie-filling canned with sugar, according to specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. Apples canned by this method will be available later on when sugar may be added or pies may be served with syrups and other sugar substitutes.

In canning apples for pie filling slice them immediately after paring into slightly salted cold water. Pack the product carefully in hot glass jars or in cans until full. Use a tablespoon, wooden ladle, or table knife for packing purposes.

Pour boiling hot water over the product in the jar. Place rubbers and caps in position, not tight. If using the cans, seal completely. Place in the sterilizer, vat, or canner, and sterilize for the length of time given below according to the particular type of outfit used:

Minutes

Hot-water bath, homemade or com-

mercial ..... 30

Water seal, 214 degrees ..... 20

5 pounds steam pressure ..... 12

10 pounds steam pressure ..... 10

After sterilizing remove the filled containers. Seal jars, invert to cool and test the joints. Wrap in paper to prevent bleaching and store in a dry place. If the cans are used it will be found advantageous to plunge them into cold water immediately after sterilization to cool them quickly.

## Conversion —Of— Liberty Bonds

3½% Liberty Bonds of the first is-

sue, 1% Liberty Bonds of the second issue, and 1% Liberty Bonds obtained by converting bonds of the first issue into bonds of the second issue can be

converted into 1½% bonds up to No-

ember 9, 1918. After that date no

further rights of conversion will at-

tribute to the 1% bonds, either the orig-

inal bonds of the second loan or those

obtained by conversion of bonds of

the first loan. All of the 1½% bonds

are non-convertible.

Coupon bonds may be converted in

either coupon or registered bonds

but registered bonds only will be ex-

changed for registered bonds and will be inscribed with the name of the

registered owners of such bonds.

All matured coupons, including

those maturing June 15, 1918, and

May 15, 1918, must be detached from

the 1% bonds before they are surren-

dered for conversion. The converted

bonds will bear interest at the rate of

1½% from June 15, 1918 and May 15,

1918 respectively, and have the same

maturity dates as the original bonds.

This bank is prepared to receive

and handle all of the above bonds for

conversion and places its facilities at

the disposal of its customers and the

Government.

Yon can make yourself available

to the Allies by canning all of the

vegetables that you can possibly can

this summer. This coming winter is

going to be a hard one, take warning.

We have a large stock of Mason Jars

½ Gallons, Quarts and Pints. Ideal

Self-sealing Jars in Quarts and Pints.

Also a good supply of Star Tin Cans,

Sealing Wax, Jelly Glasses and Parch-

ment.

Why not try a Ledger Want Ad?

## RIPLEY Flier

### MAKES GOOD

Lient. H. P. Baird, of Ripley Does

Some Wonderful Stunts in His

Airplane at Texas Field.

The following account of some ex-

periment airplane work by Lient. Harold

C. Baird of the U. S. Aviation Corps is taken from "Tale Spins," the of-

ficial publication of Ellington Flying

Field, Houston, Texas, where Lient.

Baird is now Officer in Charge of

Aerobatics division — an important

and responsible position:

"Thrilling Aerial Combat" Held at

Ellington Field.

"Using practically every turn, side

and stunt known in aviation, Major

McDonald and Lieutenant Baird, aerial

combat instructor at Ellington Field,

staged one of the most thrilling 'com-

bats' that has been witnessed at the

Field for some time. Monday after-

noon.

"Necks craned out of every window

in the barracks, and men on duty

ceased their labors to watch these

premier fliers endeavor to get on

each other's tails. Both officers went

into spin and after spin, and thrills

were as numerous as new arrivals at

a summer resort on a holiday. First

one would get in position for what

could have easily been a deadly shot,

when he was shaken off by a loop,

spiral, side slip or spin.

"Lieutenant Baird in several instances

lewed on his back. In this, it is

safe to say that he surpasses perhaps

any flier in the United States using

training machines. The work of both

officers brought cries of admiration

from the hundreds of witnesses on the

ground.

"The 'combat' lasted nearly half

hour during which every minute

proved a thrill. At times the duel was

fought as low as 100 feet. First one

would shoot almost vertically toward

the clouds, only to be followed by the

other. Then spin after spin follow-

ed.

The purpose in view is to ascertain

if there is a reason for the delay, and

if such is the case to make the rea-

son known to the people of Kentucky

if no reason exists for such delay it

will be the endeavor of the council to

have the matter corrected.

Why not try a Ledger Want Ad?

Mrs. Housewife

You can make yourself available

to the Allies by canning all of the

vegetables that you can possibly can

this summer. This coming winter is

FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 1, WE  
ARE GOING TO SELL FOR  
SPOT CASH

Genuine Palm Beach  
Cool Cloth Suits  
Coat and Trousers

For \$7.50

We will not lay any aside for anyone. See West Window display. First come, first served. We do not insist upon anyone buying these bargains we offer each week to stimulate business, as there is no money made on them. We are determined to do business and keep busy.

Geo. H. Frank & Co.,  
Maysville's Foremost Clothiers

Navarre Cafe and Billiard Parlors  
Cigars, Tobacco, Lunch and Soft  
Drinks.

Call and spend your leisure hours.  
C. E. MARTIN, Proprietor.

COUNCIL PASSES GARBAGE  
BUCK TO HEALTH BOARD

Matter of Collecting City Garbage Is  
Left Entirely Up to the City Board  
of Health by Council's  
Committee.

A special committee recently appointed by City Council to go thoroughly into the matter of garbage disposal for the city held a meeting yesterday afternoon and handed the matter entirely over to the City Board of Health for solving and it is understood that the Health Board has plans for the immediate solving of the problem which has long been a serious one here.

The Health Board, it is understood, will within the next few days appoint Mr. Bruce Crawford, official city garbage collector and he will make two collections each week from all of the homes asking a small amount from the residents for the removal of the garbage.

The special committee also turned the municipal pigery question over to the Board of Health expressing it as their opinion that a pigery was not practical just at this time.

ORDER DAMS LOWERED

Wheeling, W. Va., July 17.—Acting for Colonel Lansing Beach, United States engineer in charge of the operation of Ohio river dams, J. A. McDonough this afternoon issued orders for the lowering of all dams from Pittsburgh to Point Pleasant for the creation of an artificial rise of several feet that will enable the movement of three million bushels of coal from the great Kanawha river to the Cincinnati and Louisville markets. Dams No. 1 to No. 20 will be affected by the order. The rise will pass Wheeling Friday morning, July 19; Parkersburg Friday afternoon; Point Pleasant Saturday morning; Huntington Saturday afternoon; and Cincinnati Sunday night. An eleven foot stage below the slack water system will be created by the draining of the pools.

THOSE WHO PAY

Should a good woman who falls, though no fault of her own be condemned. See Bessie Barriscale in "Those Who Pay" at the Pastime today. Look at the price for this wonderful play, 5 and 10 cents, war tax 1 cent.

LOCAL SAILOR  
SAW COVINGTON  
WHEN TORPEDOED

Maysville Boy Making Good in U. S.  
Navy Saw Great Steepleship Tor-  
pedoed on His Sixth  
Trip Overseas.

Thomas Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wallace, of Forest Avenue, has had some wonderful experiences since he entered the service of Uncle Sam in the navy more than a year ago.

Young Mr. Wallace first entered the service as an apprentice seaman but in a very short time he was promoted to second seaman and later made a member of the Armed Guard of the United States Navy. As a member of the armed guard he has crossed the Atlantic six times during each time a precious load of supplies for our soldiers at the front in Europe.

Just a few days ago young Wallace reached an American port returning from his sixth trip across and one of the first things he did when he landed in the good old U. S. A. was to write to his parents. In his letter he tells of having seen the sinking of the Covington and of his boat having accounted for one submarine on their trip over.

Mr. Wallace's letter in part says:

"I just got in port yesterday so of course we haven't eaten any mail yet, but I thought I would write you so you would know that I was all right. I tried to get a furlough but the most I could get was four days. I knew that wouldn't be long enough so I turned it down but hope to be able to get a ten days furlough some of these sweet days. It is creeping very close to a year now since I saw you all."

"Well the old Kaiser has one less sub to his credit as we sank one going over and sighted two more but were unable to get them.

"I suppose you heard, or read in the papers about the Covington being sunk. I saw her when she was torpedoed. She was about 1000 yards away from our ship at the time. The torpedo struck her a column of water about 100 feet higher than the ship shot up and the steam and smoke shot up from her stacks. She then settled on her starboard side and turned about and made all speed back to Fleet. Just outside the harbor she sank. Every one was saved but of course we didn't see her when she went under as we kept coming on our way home."

"That old Kaiser has something coming to him yet."

No Maysville man has made a better record in the service of his country during this present war than has young Wallace. He is now in charge of a gun crew on the steamship Princess Matilda and his gun crew already has had the honor of accounting for more than one German submarine.

CHIEF ORT INSTRUCTED TO HOLD  
STOLEN AUTO

Chief of Police Harry A. Ort yesterday received a telegram from the Chief of Police of Youngstown, Ohio, instructing him to hold the stolen Auton automobile located in a local garage Tuesday night. It is expected that the owner will call for the machine. Although efforts are being made to locate the thief so far no trace of him has been found except that a man answering his description purchased a ticket over the C. & O. for Wheeling, W. Va., Tuesday morning.

WANTED, SCRAP IRON

Highest Cash Prices paid for Scrap  
Iron, Metals, and Feed Bags. Call  
S. GREENWALD

Telephone 318, Plum Street.

MEMORIAL FOR FIRST  
LOCAL NEGRO WAR HERO

Memorial Services For Thomas Battis,  
Local Negro Who Died in France,  
To Be Held Sunday  
Afternoon.

Arrangements are being made for a Memorial Service in honor of Thomas Battis, who died in a hospital in France a few days ago after being confined there for several weeks on account of illness.

The Memorial will be held on next Sunday afternoon at Scott M. E. Church on Fourth street and a special committee is now arranging a special program which will be fitting for such an occasion.

An oration will be delivered on the young man's life and his sacrifice to his country.

A young Battis has the distinction of being the first Maysville negro to give his life for his country in the present war. It is expected that there will be a very large audience of colored people and many white people who knew him and realized the spirit of his sacrifice will also be in attendance.

The program cannot be announced just now and the name of the chief speaker of the afternoon cannot be given but the program will be made public as soon as finally arranged.

PROTESTS AGAINST THE  
NEGLECT OF OHIO RIVER

Indiana Senator Declares This Stream  
Should Share in Proposed  
\$8,000,000 Abatement.

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